Project TRABAC

Training Responsible Adults to be Bookkeeping and Accounting Clerks



This program prepares students for entry level accounting and bookkeeping positions such as accounting and bookkeeping positions such as accounting clerk, posting clerk, accounts receivable clerk, payroll clerk, or bookkeeper.

The course will give students who have no previous knowledge of accounting a basic understanding of accounting/bookkeeping principles and



procedures used to record, classify, and summarize financial data. Students will become familiar with accounting terminology, financial records, forms, and statements used in business today. In addition, the program includes training in Microsoft Office, (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, and Access) office skills, business math, oral and written communications, and employment. TRABAC provides an internship in a local business allowing students hands-on training in a real world business environment.

The program prepares students for a broad range of manual and computerized accounting and bookkeeping functions, including preparation and maintenance of ledgers, journals, adjusting and closing entries, basic financial statements, cash and banking procedures, payroll, and accounts payable and receivable, and financial literacy.

26 weeks30 hours per week plus open lab

Training includes the following skills & services:

- Introduction to Bookkeeping/Accounting
- Payroll Procedures
- Business Math/Calculators
- Computerized Accounting: QuickBooks
- Business Writing
- Computer Skills Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Access, Powerpoint)
- Attitudinal and Employment Counseling
- · Office Skills and Keyboarding
- Employability Skills: Applications, Resumes, Cover Letters, Job Search and Interviewing
- · Internet, Communication, and Life-coping Skills

Who is Eligible?

- 18 years of age or older
- · Fluent in English
- · High School Diploma or GED
- Unemployed/dislocated, underemployed workers
- Students motivated to learn new skills and ccept a job

RIC Outreach Programs are available to Rhode Island clients of Department of Labor & Training, Department of Human Services Family Independence Program and Office of Rehabilitative Service participants in need of training and employment.

Number of Hours:

Training: 780Internship: 80

Outreach Programs at Rhode Island College

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